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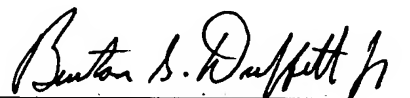
The present Amendment adds an Abstract of the Disclosure on a separate sheet, eliminates the use of multiple dependency, and cancels original Claims 13 to 18 without prejudice.

The examination and allowance of the Application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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